Southern Railway. Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria

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S:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations.
9:17 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for points south a which scheduled to stop. First class coaches; sleeping cars to Birmingham and drawing room sleeping cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.
11:17 A. M.—Daily—Mail train. Coaches for Manassas, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping cars Greensboro to Atlanta.
4:47 P. M.—Week days—Limited for Warrenton, Charlottesville and Harrisonburg.

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422 P. M.—Daily—Birmingham special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Arniston and Birmingham. Through first-class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California

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352 P. M.—Week days—Limited for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch. Pullman buffet parlor car.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warren-

ton.
637 P. M.—The Sonthern's Southeastern Limited for Columbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta, Savannah and Jacksonville, Through Pullman drawing room, state room sleeping cars. Coaches.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 37, 7 53 (local) and 10 22 a. m., 12 16, 4 27, 5 17 (local) 7 42 and 9 57 p. m. daily.

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING OF THE AMERICAN RUTILE CO. OF VIRGINIA. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the American Rutile Co. will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday, the 2d of January, 1911, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock p. m. for the election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as can be lawfully considered. The transfer books will be closed for 10 days prior to the 2nd day of January.

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SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 17

POTASH TAR HITS THE FARMERS

Efforts continue to secure relief from the enormous tax imposed by Germany on exports of potash to the United States. In these efforts all agricultural interests are deeply concerned for the reason that potash is an essential element of all commercial fertili-

Realizing the seriousness of the burden so imposed, President Taft and the state department have made vigorous protest to Germany, and the matter is still pending. A representative of the state department who visited Berlin in an effort to secure redress from the German government has just action by the administration is ex pected without great delay.

Official efforts to bring about a favorable settlement have from the start been actively aided by the nonsyndicate potash mines which made the American low price contracts.

It is understood that the state department had assurances from the German government when the tax law was first talked of that nothing would be done which would impair existing trade arrangements. These assurances proved to be worthless, and after Germany had secured the benefits of the minimum rates of our new tariff law the potash tax was put into force. President Taft in his message to congress may have had this fact in mind when he said, referring to the successful working out of the maximum and minimum provision, "There are, however, unfortunately, instances where foreign governments deal arbitrarily with American interests within their jurisdiction in a manner injurious and inequitable."

It was when the German potash syn-It was when the German potash syndicate found that independent mines had got almost all of the American had got almost all of the American chart of Fairfax county, Virginia. business by making prices about 30 per cent lower than the syndicate prices that the law now complained of by American consumers was demanded by the potash trust and enacted by the reichstag with the avowed purpose to deprive Americans of the benefits of their advantageous agreements, running in some cases until 1916.

The amount of the tax imposed by Germany is more than the entire cost at the mines under the American contracts with nonsyndicate producers and makes the price on deliveries in the United States much greater than the old exorbitant syndicate prices. As the American contracts provide that the buyer shall pay all government charges, the tax falls heaviest upon the consumers of potash for the making poration, with their priorities.

of fertilizers.

The tax law was passed, it is assertthe real estate of the said definant color poration, with their priorities.

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ed, with no other purpose than to destroy existing contracts, to coerce all potash mines into the syndicate and by them respectively.

potash mines into the syndicate and so to bring about a return to high prices and take away the market made here by nonsyndicate producers.

Until this controversy arose it was not generally known that potash in workable quantities was found only in Germany. The production is and has been for twenty years controlled by a syndicate, which also fixes the price that the world shall pay for this nethat the world shall pay for this nestrictly regulated by law, several German governments participate as owners of potash mines. It was during a temporary lapse in the syndicate, leaving every one free to make his own figures, that the low prices now causing trouble were made.

NOTICE. Alexandria, Va., December 5, 1910.

Alexandra, v.a., December 3, 1810.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the CHARLOTTESVILLE
AND RAPIDAN RAILROAD COMPANY will be held at the office of the
company in Alexandria, Firginia, on
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Swartz, who sue for themselves and on behalf of all other stockholders of the

Land & River Improvement Co., of New Alexandria, are complainants, and The Land & River Improvement Co., of New

Alexandria is defendant, requir ng me as Special Master Commissioner, "to inquire and make report to this court

upon the matters hereinafter mentioned

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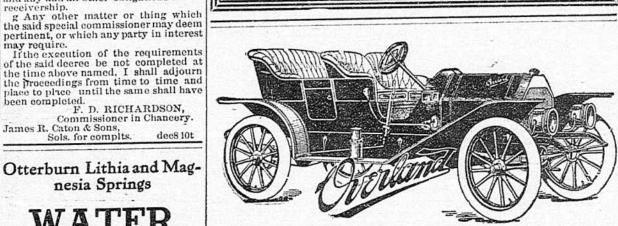
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